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ABSTRACT

This guide was developed as a "how to" training device for merging database and word processing files using AppleWorks version 2.0 and the Apple IIGS computer with two disk drives. Step-by-step instructions are provided for loading database files, transferring database files to the clipboard, merging database files into word processor files, altering the width of the database information, and obtaining additional help. For each procedure, a diagram of the screen display is included. (GL)

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MERGING DATA BASE AND
WORD PROCESSING
FILES
USING APPLEWORKS V2.0 AND THE
APPLE IIGS COMPUTER
FIRST EDITION

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INTRODUCTION

"Merging Data Base And Word Processing Files Using AppleWorks V1.0 And The Apple IIe Computer" was developed for use as a "how to" training device. It can be used with Apple IIGS computers which have two disk drives. Its development was accomplished using one 3 1/2" and one 5 1/4" drive, 5 1/4" floppy disks, and the 2.0 Version of the AppleWorks program. The pictures one sees in the Figures of this document are those that will be seen when V2.0 of the AppleWorks program is used to merge spreadsheet files into word processor files. Generally, other versions of the AppleWorks program, as well as the smaller disk drives presently available on the market, may be used in conjunction with the document. If the document is to be used as it was intended at the time of development, users must have the following items available to them:

1. Apple IIGS computer.
2. Two disk drives.
3. A copy of the AppleWorks program.
4. One data disk upon which is stored, a word processor file and a spreadsheet file.

If this document is to be used as it was intended, users must know how to:

1. Turn on the computer.
2. Bring word processor and spreadsheet files from a data disk to the computer desktop.

After using this document, Apple IIGS computer operators should be able to use AppleWorks V2.0 to transfer data base files into word processing documents. Additional guidance in this regard may be found in the AppleWorks program manual which accompanies the purchase of the program. Manuals are also available from many bookstores.

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DIRECTIONS

01. File Loading. Bring the data base file and the word processing file with which you wish to work to the desktop.

02. Transferring The Data Base File.

a. Selecting the data base file.

(1) Press the OPEN-APPLE and the "Q" (quick switch) keys at the same time (see Figure 1).

Disk: Disk 1 (Slot 6)

MAIN MENU

Escape: Main Menu

Main Menu		Desktop Index	
1. Add files to		1. LIB.008	DB
2. Work with one		2. WP01215.007	WP
		3. WP01216.007	WP
3. Save Desktop		4. WP01217.007	WP
		5. DB00000	DB
4. Remove files		6. DB00408.002	DB
		7. COMPUTERS	WP
5. Other Activit		8. DOC.LIBRARY.005	DB
		9. DOC.LIBRARY.006	DB
6. Quit		10. DOC.LIBRARY.007	DB
		11. WP01134.007	WP
		12. SS00544.005	SS

Type number, or use arrows, then press Return

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Figure 1. The Monitor Screen Showing The Quick Switch Function.

(2) Using the DOWN-ARROW key if necessary, highlight the data base file.

(3) Press the RETURN key once. Figure 2 shows an example of a data base file.

File: DOC.LIBRARY.005

REVIEW/ADD/CHANGE

Escape: Main Menu

Selection: All records

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Type entry or use @ commands

@-? for Help

Figure 2. The Monitor Screen Showing An Example Data Base File.

b. Printing The Data Base File.

(1) Press the OPEN-APPLE and the "P" keys at the same time (see Figure 3).

File: DOC.LIBRARY.005
Report: None

REPORT MENU

Escape: Review/Add/Change

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1. Get a report format
 2. Create a new "tables" format
 3. Create a new "labels" format
 4. Duplicate an existing format
 5. Erase a format

Type number, or use arrows, then press Return

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Figure 3. The Monitor Screen After Selecting The Print Option.

- (2) Use the ARROW key if necessary to highlight the "Create a new tables format."
- (3) Press the RETURN key once. Your monitor screen should appear similar to the picture shown in Figure 4.

File: DOC.LIBRARY.DOC
Report: None

NAME THE NEW REPORT

Escape: Report Menu

Type a name for the report:

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Figure 4. The Monitor Screen After Selecting The Create Tables
Option.

- (4) Type a name for your report. An example is provided in
Figure 5.

File: DOC.LIBRARY.005
Report: 89NOV22
Selection: All records

REPORT FORMAT

Escape: Report Menu

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--> or <--  Move cursor          @-J  Right justify this category
> @ <      Switch category positions  @-K  Define a calculated category
--> @ <--   Change column width      @-N  Change report name and/or title
@-A  Arrange (sort) on this category  @-O  Printer options
@-D  Delete this category             @-P  Print the report
@-G  Add/remove group totals          @-R  Change record selection rules
@-I  Insert a prev. deleted category  @-T  Add/remove category totals
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DOC. NO:	DOC. TYPE:	KEY WORD:	SUBJECT:	TITLE:	AUTHOR:	
-A-----	-B-----	-C-----	-D-----	-E-----	-F-----	.
00482	WP	Publishing	Copyright	Request for	Schlenker	!
00483	DB	Activity	First grade	Data base fo	Schlenker	!
00484	WP	Activity	Physical Sci	First class	Schlenker	u !

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Use options shown above to change report format 366K Avail.

Figure 6. The Monitor Screen Showing The Report Name Entered.

(6) Press the OPEN-APPLE and the "P" keys at the same time
(see Figure 7).

File: DOC.LIBRARY.005
Report: None

NAME THE NEW REPORT

Escape: Erase entry

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Type a name for the report: DATA.BASE.TRAINING

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Figure 5. The Monitor Screen Showing An Example Report Name.

(5) Press the RETURN key once (see Figure 6).

File: DOC.LIBRARY.005
Report: 89NOV22
Selection: All records

PRINT THE REPORT

Escape: Report Form

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Where do you want to print the report?

1. NCR
2. ImageWriter II
3. EPSON
4. The screen
5. The clipboard (for the Word Processor)
6. The clipboard (for Mail Merge)
7. A text (ASCII) file on disk
8. A DIF (TM) file on disk

Type number, or use arrows, then press Return.

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Figure 7. The Monitor Screen After Selecting The Print Function A
Second Time.

- (7) Use the DOWN-ARROW key and highlight the, "The clipboard
(for the word processor)" option.
- (8) Press the RETURN key once (examine Figure 8).

File: DOC.LIBRARY.005
Report: DATA.BASE.TRAINING
Selection: All records

PRINT THE REPORT

Escape: Restore former entry

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Type report date or press Return:

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Figure 8. The Monitor Screen After Selecting The Word Processor
Option.

(9) Type today's date (see Figure 9).

File: DOC.LIBRARY.005
Report: 89NOV22
Selection: All records

PRINT THE REPORT

Escape: Report Format

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Type report date or press Return: 89NOV22

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Figure 9. The Monitor Screen Showing The Date Typed.

(10) Press the RETURN key once.

(11) Examine your monitor screen and compare it with the picture provided in Figure 10. You should see a message telling you the your document has been printed to the clipboard. This is your cue that it is time to move from the data base file an into your word processor file.

File: DOC.LIBRARY.005
Report: 89NOV22
Selection: All records

PRINT THE REPORT

Escape: Report Forma

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The report is now on the clipboard,
and can be moved or copied into Word
Processor documents.

Press Space Bar to continue

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Figure 10. The Monitor Screen Showing The Printed To The Clipboard
Message.

c. Moving To The Word Processor File.

- (1) Press the OPEN-APPLE and the "Q" (quick switch) keys at
the same time (see Figure 11).

File: DOC.LIBRARY.005
Report: 89NOV22
Selection: All records

PRINT THE REPORT

Escape: Main Men

Desktop Index		
1.	LIB.008	DB
2.	WP01215.007	WP
3.	WP01216.007	WP
4.	WP01217.007	WP
5.	DB00000	DB
6.	DB00408.002	DB
7.	COMPUTERS	WP
8.	DOC.LIBRARY.005	DB
9.	DOC.LIBRARY.006	DB
10.	DOC.LIBRARY.007	DB
11.	WP01134.007	WP
12.	SS00544.005	SS

Type number, or use arrows, then press Return

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Figure 11. The Monitor Screen Showing The Quick Option Energized.

- (2) Use the ARROW keys to highlight the word processor document into which you are merging your data base document.
- (3) Press the RETURN key once. Your word processor file should appear on the monitor screen (see Figure 12).

November 21, 1989

MEMORANDUM FOR District Superintendent of Schools, Japan

SUBJECT: Regional Science Task Group Working Session

1. A regional science task group meeting will be held at the Regional Office January 18-19, 1990. This will be working meeting where participants put together the contributions of the four district science task groups into a final revised science objectives (DSM 2200.1) booklet.
2. It is requested that you select one middle or high school teacher to attend this meeting, prepare the necessary travel orders, and notify me of your selectee's approximate arrival time.
3. Billeting arrangements for the attending teacher will be

Type entry or use @ commands

Line 20 Column 13

@-? for Help

Figure 12. The Monitor Screen Showing The Word Processor Document.

d. Document Merging Process.

- (1) Use the ARROW keys and move the cursor to the location where you want the data base file to be located.
- (2) Press the OPEN-APPLE and the "M" keys at the same time (see Figure 13).

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3. Billeting arrangements for the attending teacher will be made by regional office personnel.

Move Text? Within document To clipboard From clipboard

Figure 13. The Monitor Screen After Selecting The Move Option.

- (3) Use the RIGHT-ARROW key to highlight the, "From clipboard (paste)" option.
- (4) Press the RETURN key once. Your data base file should have moved into the location where your cursor was set (see Figure 14).

File: WP01216.007

REVIEW/ADD/CHANGE

Escape: Main Menu

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File: DOC.LIBRARY.005

Page 1

Report: 89NOV22

89NOV22

DOC. NO: DOC. TYPE: KEY WORD: SUBJECT: TITLE:

AUTHOR: DA

Type entry or use @ commands

Line 16 Column 1

@-? for Help

Figure 14. The Monitor Screen After Moving The Data Base File From The Clipboard.

- (5) If your data base file is so large that it wraps around on itself, not fitting in the available space, proceed to STEP 03; otherwise, jump to STEP 04.

03. Altering The Width Of The Data Base Information.

- a. Using the ARROW keys, move the cursor to the row immediately above the beginning of the data base information.
- b. Press the OPEN-APPLE and "O" keys at the same time (see Figure 15).

File: WP01216.007

PRINTER OPTIONS

Escape: Review/Add/Change

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File: DOC.LIBRARY.005

PW=8.0	LM=1.0	RM=1.0	CI=10	JU	PL=11.0	TM=0.0	BM=2.0	LI=6	SS
Option:	UJ: Unjustified	GB: Group Begin	BE: Boldface End						
	CN: Centered	GE: Group End	+B: Superscript Beg						
PW: Platen Width	PL: Paper Length	HE: Page Header	+E: Superscript End						
LM: Left Margin	TM: Top Margin	FO: Page Footer	-B: Subscript Begin						
RM: Right Margin	BM: Bottom Margin	SK: Skip Lines	-E: Subscript End						
CI: Chars per Inch	LI: Lines per Inch	PN: Page Number	UB: Underline Begin						
P1: Proportional-1	SS: Single Space	PE: Pause Each page	UE: Underline End						
P2: Proportional-2	DS: Double Space	PH: Pause Here	PP: Print Page No.						
IN: Indent	TS: Triple Space	SM: Set a Marker	EK: Enter Keyboard						
JU: Justified	NP: New Page	BB: Boldface Begin	MM: Mail Merge						

Figure 15. The Monitor Screen After Selecting Word Processor Print Options.

c. Altering The Left Margin.

- (1) Type, "LM."
- (2) Press the RETURN key once.
- (3) Type, "0.5".
- (4) Press the RETURN key once. Examine your monitor screen and Figure 16.

File: WP01216.007

PRINTER OPTIONS

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-----Left Margin: 0.5 inches

File: DOC.LIBRARY.005

PW=8.0	LM=0.5	RM=1.0	CI=10	JU	PL=11.0	TM=0.0	BM=2.0	LI=6	SS
Option:	UJ: Unjustified	GB: Group Begin	BE: Boldface End						
	CN: Centered	GE: Group End	+B: Superscript Beg						
PW: Platen Width	PL: Paper Length	HE: Page Header	+E: Superscript End						
LM: Left Margin	TM: Top Margin	FO: Page Footer	-B: Subscript Begin						
RM: Right Margin	BM: Bottom Margin	SK: Skip Lines	-E: Subscript End						
CI: Chars per Inch	LI: Lines per Inch	PN: Page Number	UB: Underline Begin						
P1: Proportional-1	SS: Single Space	PE: Pause Each page	UE: Underline End						
P2: Proportional-2	DS: Double Space	PH: Pause Here	PP: Print Page No.						
IN: Indent	TS: Triple Space	SM: Set a Marker	EK: Enter Keyboard						
JU: Justified	NP: New Page	BB: Boldface Begin	MM: Mail Merge						

Figure 16. The Monitor Screen After Changing The Left Margin To 0.5 Inches.

- (5) Type, "RM."
- (6) Press the RETURN key once.
- (7) Type, "0.5".
- (8) Press the RETURN key once. Examine your monitor screen and Figure 17.

Escape: Review/Add/Change

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-----Left Margin: 0.5 inches

-----Right Margin: 0.5 inches

File: DOC.LIBRARY.005

PW=8.0 LM=0.5 RM=0.5 CI=10 JU PL=11.0 TM=0.0 BM=2.0 LI=6 SS

Option:	UJ: Unjustified	GB: Group Begin	BE: Boldface End
	CN: Centered	GE: Group End	+B: Superscript Begin
PW: Platen Width	PL: Paper Length	HE: Page Header	+E: Superscript End
LM: Left Margin	TM: Top Margin	FO: Page Footer	-B: Subscript Begin
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P2: Proportional-2	DS: Double Space	PH: Pause Here	PP: Print Page No.
IN: Indent	TS: Triple Space	SM: Set a Marker	EK: Enter Keyboard
JU: Justified	NP: New Page	BB: Boldface Begin	MM: Mail Merge

Figure 17. The Monitor Screen After Changing The Right Margin To 0.5 Inches.

(9) Press the ESC key once. Your monitor screen should appear similar to the picture shown in Figure 18.

